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Mr. Steven Falk
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Bureau of Land Management
Price River & San Rafael Area
900 North 700 East
Price, Utah 84501

Dear Mr. Falk:

Re: Approval Recommendation, Notice of Intent to Explore, Beaver
Creek Coal Company, Trail Mountain #9 Mine, CEP/015/009-89A,
Folder #3, Emery County, Utah

The Division received a Notice of Intent to Explore (NOI) from Beaver Creek Coal Company (BCCC) for the Trail Mountain area, dated May 25, 1989. The proposed exploration activity will not occur within the approved Trail Mountain permit area. Instead, it will occur on federal land, and therefore, your office is the lead agency in issuing the permitting decision.

Division technical staff have reviewed the subject NOI and have determined that the proposed activity will not result in adverse environmental impacts. Accordingly, the Division recommends the NOI be approved by your office.

Sincerely,

Richard V. Smith

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Permit Supervisor

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Attachment

cc: K. Fleck, BCCC

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